

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

INFO AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:PFOR, US, SF

SUBJECT: USINFO BACKGROUNDER ON SIMONSTOWN

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

REFERENCE: A. PRETORIA 4979; B. PRETORIA 4989

USIA HAD ALREADY KILLED BACKGROUNDER IN QUESTION BY TIME

DEPT. DISCUSSED REFTEL A WITH THAT AGENCY. UPON RECEIPT

REFTEL B, DEPT. CONFIRMED WITH USIA THAT BACKGROUNDER

WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE USED. INGERSOLL

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** NAVAL FORCES, SIMONSTOWN AGREEMENT, FOREIGN POLICY POSITION, MILITARY AGREEMENTS  
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**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** CollinP0  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1974STATE254771  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** AARENALES:BK  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
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**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
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**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** A. PRETORIA 4979; B. PRETORIA 4989  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** CollinP0  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 04 SEP 2002  
**Review Event:**  
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**Review Markings:**

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**Review Media Identifier:**  
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**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
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**Subject:** USINFO BACKGROUNDER ON SIMONSTOWN CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY  
**TAGS:** PFOR, US, SF  
**To:** PRETORIA  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005